
HOUSE BILL No. 1288

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 16-37-3-3.

Synopsis: Cancellation of registration of deceased voters. Requires a local health officer to file a copy of certain death certificates with the circuit court clerk. Requires the circuit court clerk to cancel the voter registration of the deceased individual if required under the voter registration statute.

Effective: July 1, 2003.

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January 13, 2003, read first time and referred to Committee on Elections and Apportionment.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2002 Regular or Special Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning elections.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 16-37-3-3 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2003]: Sec. 3. **(a)** The person in
3 charge of interment shall file a certificate of death or of stillbirth with
4 the local health officer of the jurisdiction in which the death or
5 stillbirth occurred.
6 **(b) This subsection applies if the deceased individual was:**
7 **(1) a resident of the county in which the deceased individual**
8 **died; and**
9 **(2) at least eighteen (18) years of age.**
10 **The local health officer shall send a copy of the death certificate**
11 **filed under this section to the circuit court clerk of the county.**
12 **Upon receiving a copy of a death certificate under this subsection,**
13 **the circuit court clerk shall determine whether to cancel the voter**
14 **registration of the deceased individual as provided in IC 3-7-45-4.**



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